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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the November 9, 2004 Office Action, which has a statutorily shortened period for response that ends on February 9, 2005.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.